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Louisville Public Library Offers 'Tech Guru' Program
Drop-in Program Provides On-on-One Technology Assistance

LOUISVILLE, CO — May 10, 2013 — Where does a software engineer go when he retires? If he's Louisville resident Eric Roth, he volunteers for the Tech Guru program at the Louisville Library. Eric, an R&D software engineer in the telecommunications industry for 33 years, has been a volunteer with the Library's adult computer tutoring program for the past five years, and now he's added 'Tech Guru' to his volunteer résumé. Tech Guru is a drop-in program where patrons can find help with anything from basic computer skills to assistance with specific issues concerning web browsing and searching, email, Microsoft Office and other applications, tablets and e-readers, and downloading digital library content.

"Today, it's more important than ever for libraries to find ways to connect people with the resources they need to be engaged with the world around them," said Beth Barrett, Director of Library and Museum Services for the City of Louisville. "Our community is so fortunate to have people like Eric who are willing to contribute their time and talents to complement the role of libraries at a time when access to information is so dependent on technology tools."

Most often, the Tech Guru is available on Saturday mornings, but times may vary. Check the Library website or contact the Adult Reference Desk (303-335-4820) for the schedule.

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